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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR AUTOMATICALLY DETECTING NEUTRAL EXPRESSIONLESS FACES IN DIGITAL IMAGES

Enclosed are:

- X 18 Sheets of Informal Drawings.
- X An assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation, Armonk, New York 10504.

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